

United States District Court  
Southern District of Ohio  
Eastern Division at Columbus, Ohio

United States of America

-vs-

Case No. 2:20-cr-62 (2)

Whitney R. Lancaster

---

COURTROOM MINUTES  
Lafler Hearing  
(USA Request for a Hearing Pursuant to Lafler v. Cooper)

<b>U.S. District Judge Sarah D. Morrison</b>		<b>Date: December 29, 2021 @ 10:00 a.m.</b>	
<b>Deputy Clerk</b>	<b>Theresa Bragg</b>	<b>Counsel for Govt:</b>	<b>Noah Litton/Kevin Kelley</b>
<b>Court Reporter</b>	<b>Allison Kimmel</b>	<b>Counsel for Deft(s):</b>	<b>David Thomas/Kathryn Wallrabenstein</b>
<b>Interpreter</b>		<b>Pretrial/Probation:</b>	
<b>Log In</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>Log Out</b>	<b>n/a</b>

Defendant Lancaster appeared in person

Plea deal was discussed; defendant declined to accept

Court explained next steps with regard to trial and that we will move forward with the January 24 trial date